

QUARTERLY REPORT
To The
U. S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Portland Harbor Joint Source Control Strategy

PERIOD ENDING June 30, 2006

PROJECT SUMMARY

Management Assistance Project
Cooperative Agreement No. V-000718-03
Portland Harbor Joint Source Control Strategy
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PROJECT REPORTING DATE

April 1 through June 30, 2006

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Task 1: Project Management

- Conducted necessary planning and administration activities to enable successful implementation of the Joint Source Control Strategy (JSCS), including ongoing identification and resolution of issues, and communicating with EPA managers.
- Continued meetings with EPA and the City of Portland to better define the approach for evaluating and controlling the stormwater pathway as described in the JSCS.
- Met with EPA on May 8 to discuss EPA comments on the March 2006 Milestone Report.
- Met with EPA partners on May 25 to discuss comments from partners on the March 2006 Milestone Report.

Task 2: Strategy Implementation

- Continued training for DEQ project managers on implementation of the JSCS to ensure that it is implemented fully and consistently in individual upland source control projects.
- Worked on an individual basis with DEQ project managers to provide technical guidance as needed, oversee JSCS implementation, and identify and resolve issues.
- Coordinated with facilities within Portland Harbor to initiate stormwater characterization and screening this fall.
- Planned for a stormwater workshop for facilities within Portland Harbor and consultants. The work shop will be held twice in July 2006.

Task 3: Reporting

- Developed the second Milestone Report (June 2006), to be submitted to EPA on July 3, 2006. Incorporated comments from EPA and EPA partners.

Task 4: Strategy Revision

- No revision of the JSCS was needed in this period.

PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

None

PROJECT ISSUE SUMMARY

The June 2006 Milestone Report identifies and describes the following issues.

- Moving certain projects through the source control process
- Completing source control at the Gasco site
- DEQ staff resource limitations
- Stormwater investigations and site discovery efforts
- Stormwater evaluation and control
- Developing a long-term stormwater solution

For more information see pages 7 through 10 of the June 2006 Milestone Report at
<http://www.deq.state.or.us/nwr/PortlandHarbor/JSCS.htm>.

ACTIONS NEXT QUARTER

- Continue comprehensive, consistent implementation of the JSCS.
- Hold meetings with EPA and EPA partners as needed to discuss comments on the June 2006 Milestone Report.
- Hold two stormwater workshops for Portland Harbor facilities and consultants in July 2006.
- Begin preparation of third Milestone Report (to be submitted to EPA in December 2006).

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